

## Message Text

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DOD FOR DA/DCSLOG

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: MASS, SA

SUBJ: MODA PURCHASE OF MILITARY VEHICLES

REF: A. DA 152004Z AUG 73; B. DISTENGR RIYADH 201330Z AUG 73

EMBASSY HOPES DA WILL CONTINUE REVIEW VEHICLE PROCUREMENT CONTRACT IN ORDER PROVIDE COMPLETE BREAKDOWN OF COST ESCALATION AND, IF POSSIBLE, TO FIND ADDITIONAL WAYS REDUCE OVER-ALL COST. WHEN FULLY DETAILED FIGURES AND RATIONALE AVAILABLE, IT CLEARLY WOULD PROVIDE BENEFICIAL ASSIST TO USG POSITION IF DCSLOG COULD SEND SENIOR OFFICIAL TO SAUDI ARABIA TO EXPLAIN CONVINCINGLY REASONS FOR ANY UNAVOIDABLE REMAINING INCREASES IN TERMS OF CONTRACT. THACHER

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